

MinutesSeptember 5, 2001 9:00 a.m.

At the meeting of the Public Service Commission of the State of Montana held at the Commission's Offices in Helena, Montana, on Wednesday, September 5, 2001, the following members were present:

Gary Feland, Chairman
Bob Anderson, Commissioner
Bob Rowe, Commissioner

Commissioners Brainard and Stovall were absent. Commissioner Brainard left his proxy with Commissioner Feland. Commissioner Stovall left written votes with the Commission Secretary.

APPEARANCE
Wayne Budt
Transportation

(292) On April 16, 2001 Duane and Debbie Bartlett dba Camelot Limousine Service, Missoula, Montana filed an application for transfer of Montana Intrastate Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity, PSC No. 9241, to Valet Limousine, Inc., Missoula, Montana.

SUB A Class B - Passengers and personal baggage in limousine service originating from Missoula County Airport to all points and places in Ravalli County. Limitations: Transportation is limited to that provided by luxury vehicles in limousine service only with a maximum of eight (8) passengers per limousine. Transportation in school buses and motor coaches is prohibited; operations as a taxi or cab is prohibited. Solicitation of train crews for work-related transportation is prohibited. Transportation shall be provided to passengers by reservation only.

SUB B Class B - Passengers and personal baggage in limousine service: 1) Between all points and places in the following counties: Ravalli and Cascade; and 2) From all points and places in Ravalli and Cascade Counties to all points and places in Montana and return. Limitations: 1) Transportation is limited to no more than eight passengers per vehicle per trip. 2) Operations as a taxi or cab is prohibited. 3) Transportation shall be provided to passengers only by advance reservation of at least two (2) hours. 4) Solicitation of train crews for work-related transportation is prohibited. 5) Service originating in Cascade County may be initiated only at the Great Falls International Airport for the purpose of picking up arriving airplane passengers. 6) Any return movements from points and places outside Ravalli and Cascade are limited to those passengers originating from these counties.

No protests were received. Commissioner Rowe moved to approve the transfer. Commissioner Anderson seconded the motion, which passed unanimously. Commissioner Stovall voted aye. Commissioner Feland cast Commissioner Brainard's proxy aye.

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APPEARANCE
Laura Calkin
Centralized Services

(293) In the matter of the approval of Commission Minutes; Commissioner Rowe moved to approve the Commission Minutes for the week of August 27, 2001. Commissioner Anderson seconded the motion, which passed unanimously. Commissioner Stovall voted aye. Commissioner Feland cast Commissioner Brainard's proxy aye.

There being no further business to come before the Commission the meeting was adjourned.

GARY FELAND, Chairman

JAY STOVALL, Vice Chairman

BOB ANDERSON, Commissioner

MATT BRAINARD, Commissioner

BOB ROWE, Commissioner

ATTEST:

Rhonda J. Simmons
Commission Secretary

(SEAL)

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Gary Feland, Chairman
Jay Stovall, Vice Chairman, via telephone
Bob Anderson, Commissioner
Matt Brainard, Commissioner

Commissioners Brainard was absent but left his proxy with Commissioner Feland.

APPEARANCE

Robin McHugh, Kate Whitney, Marla Larson

(294) In the matter of the Commission's discussion of Qwest' s application for § 271 approval, Docket No. D2000.5.70; Commissioner Rowe moved to approve the draft final report subject to the changes identified. Commissioner Anderson seconded the motion, which passed unanimously. Commissioner Feland cast Commissioner Brainard' s proxy aye.

APPEARANCE

Robin McHugh, Mike Lee

(295) In the matter of the Commission's discussion of Qwest' s § 271 approval of Track A requirements, Docket No. D2001.8.103; Commissioner Rowe moved to issue the extraordinary protective order. Commissioner Anderson seconded the motion, which passed unanimously. Commissioner Feland cast Commissioner Brainard' s proxy aye.

APPEARANCE

Robin McHugh

(296) In the matter of the Commission's discussion of Colstrip Energy Limited Partnership' s complaint against Montana Power Company, Docket No. D2001.8.109; Commissioner Rowe moved to issue a Notice of Complaint with expedited response time of 10 days. Commissioner Anderson seconded the motion, which passed unanimously. Commissioner Feland cast Commissioner Brainard' s proxy aye.

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